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REGULATION (FAR) 31.205-46(a) (2) (i), MAXIMUM PER DIEM
RATES UNDER THE FEDERAL TRAVEL REGULATIONS (FTR)

Encl: (1) OUSD DP(DAR) memo dtd July 24, 2000

Ref: (a) OASN (RD&A) ABM memo dtd October 4, 1999

Enclosure (1) is forwarded for your information and immediate implementation, as appropriate. It extends the class deviation forwarded by enclosure (1) of reference (a) and provides notification that the subject class deviation is effective immediately.

This class deviation is effective through September 30, 2001, or until the FAR is revised, whichever occurs first.

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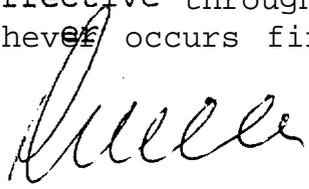
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(CONTRACTING), SAF/AQC
DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (PROCUREMENT)

SUBJECT: Extension of Class Deviation from Federal Acquisition
Regulation (FAR) 31.205-46(a)(2)(i), Maximum Per Diem Rates
Under the Federal Travel Regulations (FTR)

I extend the class deviation issued on September 16, 1999, under
DAR Tracking Number 99-00013, Subject: Class Deviation from Federal
Acquisition Regulation (FAR) 31.205-46(a)(2)(i), Maximum Per Diem
Rates Under the Federal Travel Regulations (FTR).

This class deviation authorizes all Department of Defense
contracting activities to deviate from the requirements of FAR
31.205-46(a) (2) (i). Defense contractors may choose to satisfy the
limitation on allowable travel costs by continuing to use the FTR
maximum per diem rates and the definitions of lodging, meals, and
incidental expenses in effect on December 31, 1998, or the current
FTR rates and definitions.

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until the FAR is revised, whichever occurs first.


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